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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor(s): **Christopher J. STONE**

Title: MULTI-DEVICE DISTRIBUTED DIGITAL VIDEO RECORDING SYSTEMS AND METHODS

Attorney Docket No. BCS03152

APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- (1) Patent Application Specification, including Abstract and claims - 15 pages.

(2) Four (4) sheets of formal drawings, together with transmittal letter.

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- (5) [X] Patent Application Data Sheet – 2 pages

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- (8) [] Preliminary Amendment
- (9) [] Information Disclosure Statement, together with PTO Form 1449 and copies of cited references
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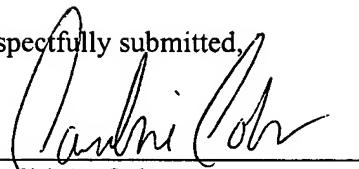
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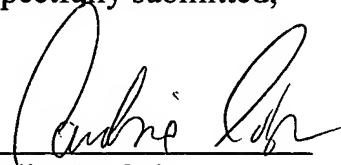
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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWING(S)

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are four (4) sheets of formal drawing(s) for filing in the above-referenced patent application.

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